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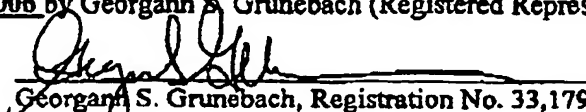
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In viewing the PTO PAIR site, it is showing that a PTO form PTOL-85 form was mail to applicant on July 13, 2006. Please be advised that this form (Notice of Allowance and Fees Due (PTOL-85) was not received by Applicant with the PTO communication of July 13, 2006.

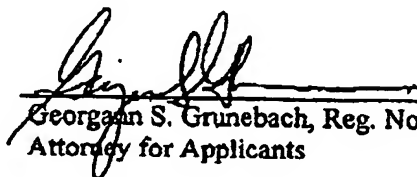
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Applicants respectfully request that they be provided with the status of this application, and assurance that the PTOL-85 form for payment of the issue fee will be forthcoming.

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